

# WESTERN KANSAS WORLD

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## Trego County Going Over the Top

The old spirit of push and win that is placing our county on the honor roll, and we will report our full quota of Liberty Bonds subscribed for by the citizens of Trego County.

It is the savings of years passed that makes this possible. Good years are in store for the future. Remember the investment opportunities never run out. Save now for the future.

## The Wakeeney State Bank

### COAL

In order to make up the shortage of coal in your zone, caused by the U. S. Fuel Administration's order effective April 1st, 1918, diverting coal formerly coming into your territory, but now going elsewhere, it will be necessary for consumers to accustom themselves to other grades of coal.

#### PURITAN LUMP COAL

is a good domestic coal, free burning, no clinkers, no scot and will store in an airtight coal house or cellar, but not out of doors.

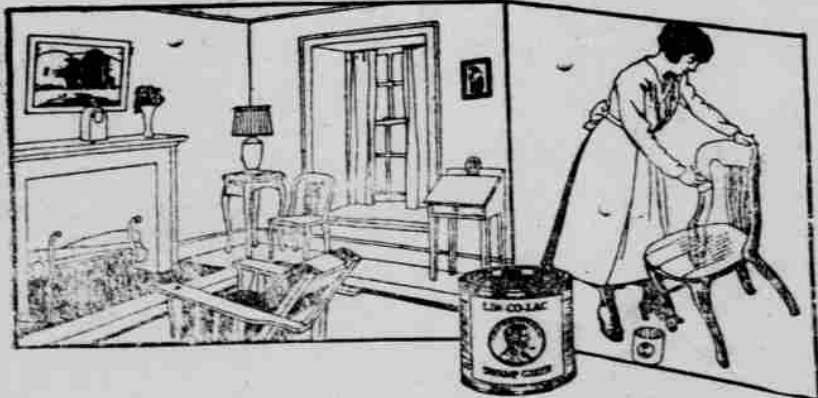
We will make a special price on PURITAN LUMP COAL for May, June, July and August, and everyone should commence storing early and take some coal each month when cars for loading can be had.

THE NATIONAL FUEL COMPANY  
DENVER, COLORADO

### NOTICE!

I wish to announce to my friends and patrons that I have taken the position as manager of the **Hays City Monument Works** at Hays, Kansas, and hereby solicit their patronage. We have put out nothing but the best in the past and we are still running on that reputation which we intend to keep. Respectfully yours,

HAYS CITY MONUMENT WORKS  
WILLIAM RICHMOND, Manager



## Make Shabby Furniture Like New

Furniture that is marred and shabby can be easily made like new or transformed to harmonize with the balance of the room by using

### Lincoln Lin-Co-Lac

Can also be used on floors or woodwork. Stains and varnishes with one operation, transforming marred surfaces or inexpensive woods into correct imitations of expensive hard woods.

Let us show you how easily this work can be done and how little it will cost.

## W. W. GIBSON

#### J. F. BROCK, OPTOMERIST

Of Lawrence, Kansas, will be at the Penny Hotel, Thursday, May 16th. All kinds of optical work a specialty. Have your eyes examined. All work guaranteed. Adv. 10 2.

#### FOR SALE

160 acre Trego county farm for quick sale at \$15.00 per acre. Reason for selling at that price, expect to leave the state. If interested write for particulars to Fred Zahn, Ellis, Kans. Adv. 10.

#### NOTICE

Bids will be received at the office of the County Superintendent on Saturday, May 11th for the building of a school for district 16 in Trego county Kansas.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the County Superintendent. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Otto Wolf,  
Director.

Photos at Bean's Studio 75 cents per dozen for ten days only. Adv. 9 1.

#### DICTAGRAMS

Button, button, who's got the button? Last call for supper!

Look at McCarty! Two sacks of flour and not a drop of whisky in the house! Let him buy substitutes.

One of the best news items of the last week reads like this: "This will be the last issue of the Omaha Rural Weekly."

Nix for the dif where you were geboren—whether in Hamburg or Hades—buy liberty bonds and show your appreciation of the best government on earth.

As draft follows draft additional families are touched and send one or more members forward to fight the battle of the world. And as fight follows fight here and there a family will receive the yellow missive which announces the fate of a member and the sacrifice that he and his loved ones are making. It is the price we pay.

In the winning of the war human lives are counted very much as dollars are reckoned. If the objective is worth its probable cost we make the bid and pay the price. It is a matter of cold business calculation—a part of the business of making the world safe for the people who live in it.

Speaking of family contributions to war force, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hancock and Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Harlan each have two boys in service, all of the four boys being volunteers and not subject to draft. Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Stanton have three boys in service—one selected and two volunteers—one of them being under age. Can you beat it in Trego?

An Emporia mother is alarmed lest her soldier boy shall marry a French maiden and never come home. The Emporia lady should worry. The lad will come home and bring his family with him. As soon as peace is declared let her put the vealock on full feed.

They do say that the stuff that made Milwaukee famous is disloyal. True enough, because there is no other kind, but why make a scapegoat of the Milwaukee brand? All beer is as pro-German as sauer kraut or smear case.

#### JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET

Although Friday evening was a rather dreary and storm threatening evening the Junior Class of T. C. H. S. certainly performed a transformation, for the Seniors and Faculty whom they entertained at the High School building, dispelling all thoughts of the raging elements outside. One look inside gave the guests a new impetus. The halls, library and ladies rest room of the second floor presented a somewhat changed aspect. The colors of the Seniors, purple and white, were brought out in many beautiful and interesting designs. Old Glory also was in evidence. This coupled with the amicable and hospitable dispositions of the Juniors caused the formality, which usually accompanies a formal affair of this nature to be somewhat dispelled.

Among the chattering and discussions of the guests could be heard the strains of Hawaiian music from the victrola. Miss Kraus, accompanied by Miss Herrick, rendered a violin solo. Miss Schimkowitz played a piano solo, both numbers were highly approved.

Mr. Niesley gave the introductory toast of the evening to the Seniors, which was really the beginning of their farewell, after which followed the first course of the luncheon consisting of fruit salad, sandwiches and nuts. Mr. Sohlberg then gave a toast to the Seniors, portraying some of their qualities. Toasts were then given by Miss Ethel Bach and Mr. Glen Marquand of the Junior class. After the second course, consisting of ice cream, cake, wafers and coffee, Mrs. Niesley sang, "A Little Grey Home in the West" and "Might Lak a Rose." Songs that appealed strongly to all.

After the singing of the High School Anthem and hearing the reading of the class prophecy, the Seniors gave nine rabs for the Juniors in appreciation of the delightful evening spent. Juniors you should be heartily commended. As entertainers you are superb.

#### SECOND RED CROSS WAR FUND DRIVE MAY 20 to 27, 1918

##### COMMITTEES

Executive Committee—M. W. Mason, Wm. Cox, W. A. Tawney, A. S. Peacock, C. R. Kirby, J. H. Heckman, C. L. Hardman.

Publicity Committee—J. H. Heckman, chairman; A. S. Peacock, R. R. Ufford.

Speakers Committee—R. C. Wilson, T. Purcell.

Transportation Committee—M. W. Mason, E. H. Hillman, Wm. Cox.

Lists & Estimates Committee—R. J. Tague, Chas. Downie, Wm. Cox, Collyer; Ross Blakely, W. A. Tawney, Ogallah; C. R. Hille, C. H. Benson, C. M. Hutchison, Wa-Keeney.

The following team captains have been appointed for the following territories:

Collyer and Franklin Townships—Wm. Cox.

All of Wa-Keeney Township north of Wa-Keeney City, Wm. R. Walker.

Balance of Wa-Keeney Township including Wa-Keeney City, M. W. Mason.

Willcox Township, John Olson.

Ogallah Township, Glencoe and Riverside—W. A. Tawney.

War Fund Cashier—C. R. Kirby.

War Fund Campaign Manager for Trego County—C. L. Hardman.

##### BACCALAUREATE SERVICES

In keeping with the traditions of Trego County High School, Faculty, Seniors and Juniors assembled in the corridors of the building at 7:30 p. m. Sunday night, and as the audience led by the Alumni quartette, composed of Misses Mary Ufford, Lois Drummond, Lula Milholland and Mrs. Ralph Pierson sang on Onward Christian Soldiers they marched in a procession into the auditorium.

The quartette then sang "I Waited on the Lord," by Mendelssohn. Rev. Allison read the scripture lesson and offered prayer. The quartette then sang "Oh Heart of Mine," by Gallo-way.

Rev. C. O. Baker's stirring sermon, Marks of Distinction, based on the text 1st Samuel 17th chapter and the 49 verse, deeply impressed the graduates and friends present. The speaker introduced his remark with the story of David and Goliath making many useful comparisons from the same, showing that there must be some motive for the making of marks for man in life and each one should have some mark in view. He also showed in a very able way that there were certain unworthy marks of distinction or objects of distinction that should be avoided, in conclusion he portrayed the fact that there were marks of honor and distinction which are a benefit to man and by which he can do the most good and be of the greatest benefit to his brother man, and each should try to attain these.

Following the sermon the audience sang the National Anthem, Star Spangled Banner, after which the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Baker.

##### NOTICE TO COMMUNITY CHORUS

Through a mistake the regular meeting of the chorus was announced for Monday evenings after this. This however is not correct, the meeting will be held as usual Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Court House. Come out and join the chorus and enjoy the splendid singing.

##### "CLAIM ALLOWED"

The High School play given last Tuesday evening at the Garden Theater was in every sense of the word a splendid success. The play "Claim Allowed" was a very pretty patriotic play and was attractively staged. Each rendered the part assigned with more than ordinary ability showing a careful training preparation. The tableaux were of a patriotic nature and were unusually effective, many thinking them the best ever given and they were indeed well arranged. The young people are to be congratulated upon the good work which they did and the play was so well received by the public that on Friday night of this week it is to be repeated at the Garden Theater for the benefit of the local Red Cross.

O. L. Lucas found it necessary to return to University Hospital at Kansas City to take treatment for stomach trouble from which he has been suffering from some time. We hope that Mr. Lucas will soon regain his former strength and health.

## MARGARET SWIGGETT

Bonded Abstractor

INSURANCE

FARM LOANS

Wa-Keeney, Kansas

(Register of Deeds of Trego County Eight Consecutive Years)

### COLORADO

## Eating Potatoes 90c sack

RED RIVER EARLY OHIO

## Seed Potatoes \$1.25

## FARMERS' STORE

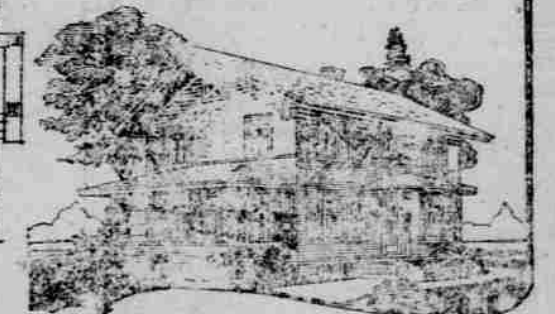
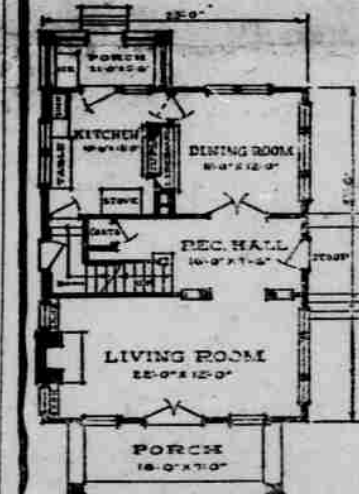


## Making Your Old Home New

Just a few touches, and your old home takes on a new appearance.

Modern doors and windows, a pleasant porch, stucco half-way instead of siding—it makes all the difference in the world. An improvement of this kind does more than make your home a more comfortable place to live in. It brings returns in dollars and cents in case you ever wish to sell or rent.

We'll be glad to help you with suggestions for remodeling your home. Call on us today.



For sale by **HARDMAN LUMBER CO.**

## BIGGER BETTER THAN EVER

HUGO BROS. SHOWS.



### FUNNY CLOWNS

### WONDERFUL GYMNASTS

### TRAINED LIONS, ELEPHANTS

### AND OTHER WILD ANIMALS

### NEW and NOVEL FEATURES

### Two Hours of Fun and Amusement

### YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS IT

### GRAND FREE EXHIBITION

### AT THE SHOW GROUNDS

### at 1:30 and 7:30 P. M.

### ONE DAY ONLY

### Show starts at 2 and 8 P. M.

### Doors open at 1 and 7 P. M.

## Big Holiday

Wa-Keeney, Kansas

## MONDAY, MAY 6

## AFTERNOON and NIGHT

### New Acts, Features and Wonders From All Parts of the Globe

### The Greatest Lady and Gentlemen Performers. An Army of Funny Clowns. Fine Bands of Music.

### See Madam Yvette the Humming Butterfly. The Boxing Monkeys. The Baby Elephant. The Trained Pigs and the Fighting Lion. Hear the Pneumatic Air Calliope

### Everybody Come

#### FOR SALE

Thoroughbred Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, \$1.00 for 15; \$2.75 for 50 and \$4.50 per hundred. Elmer E. Pearl, phone 158. Adv. 10 2